

12th Annual
STEP EMS Conference
2006

Information and Registration Form

Thursday - Saturday, April 6, 7 & 8, 2006
RIT Inn and Conference Center
Rochester, New York

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Letter from the President

This 12th annual Emergency Medical Services Conference is open to all EMS, Fire, Police, Security, Nurses, Physicians and other Health Care Professionals, Hospital Administrators, Government and Facility Managers. The conference has five tracts of five workshops each for a total of 25 workshops. The tract areas are BLS, ALS, Trauma, Fire EMS, and Management/Training. Continuing educational units for EMTs are awarded. Two additional workshops will be presented on Thursday evening.

An outstanding faculty of experienced professionals has been assembled. This conference should help improve the delivery of Emergency Medical Services. Many scientific and product exhibits will be present.

The Conference will again host a two-day silent auction. Those wishing to donate items or assist can contact Jackie Coates, Auction Chair, at jcoates@frontiernet.net or write to STEP.

This registration form can also be obtained from the STEP website at <http://www.stepems.org>, printed, and mailed with the registration fee.

We invite you to participate.

**Jacqueline Coates, FNP-C, EMT-P, President
STEP Council of the Genesee Region, Inc.**

Featured Speakers

Jody Urquhart is a professional speaker and writer who has been inspiring association audiences since 1998. She is recognized in Canada, the United States and Ireland and her monthly column is syndicated in over sixty-five magazines and trade journals. Jody holds diplomas in Professional Speaking from Mount Royal College and in Management and Marketing from the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology. Her business experience includes management positions in the banking, health care, and retail industries. Jody enjoys doing stand-up comedy and she brings lots of humor and fun to her presentations.

Robert Daughbril, EMT-P, is Supervisor for West Calcam Ambulance Service, Sulphur, La., and coordinator for ambulances during evacuation of facilities in different parts of Louisiana and New Orleans during the Hurricanes of Katrina and Rita.

Steve Berry, BA, NREMT-P is a former teacher and interpreter for the hearing impaired at the Colorado School for the Deaf and Blind. Steve has published eight EMS cartoon books since his escapades as a paramedic and EMS instructor began 20 years ago. Steve works part-time for Pridmark Paramedic Services out of Arvada and the Broadmoore Fire Rescue Department in Colorado Springs. His cartoons and a monthly humor column can be found each month in the JEMS Magazine.

Frank J. Poliafico, RN, is an Emergency and EMS System pioneer. In the 1970s, he directed one of the first regional EMS Councils in PA and the nation (in Delaware County) and was a founding member of the PA EHS Council. Later he served as Director of EMS for the City of New York. Frank was a major contributor to the early development of educational programs for EMTs, paramedics, and ER nurses. Through the '80s and '90s, he operated his own initial emergency care training and consulting company where he created and conducted innovative "Pre-EMS" training programs for non-medical workers on land, at sea, on the rails and in the sky. A dynamic and motivational speaker, he has made countless presentations at national and international conferences worldwide. Frank is now Executive Director of the newly created AED Instructor Foundation, a non-profit group that provides support and assistance to CPR and AED instructors and EMS professionals in the establishment and operation of community and worksite AED programs. AED Instructor Foundation, 610-566-2824, email director@aedif.org.

Workshop and Faculty Information

The Conference includes five different workshops tracts: BLS, Advanced, Trauma, Fire/EMS, and Management/Training. A total of 25 workshops are being presented with a wide range of topics.

Please review the workshop choices carefully. It is suggested that members of your organization select different workshops to bring back to your organization a wide variety of information. Please fill out the registration form completely so that you are listed for all activities you plan to attend and you receive future Conference mailings directly.

We are again very fortunate to have outstanding teachers for all the workshops. The faculty will provide an outline of the workshop information they plan to present in those areas that are applicable. This material will be distributed during the workshop.

STEP hopes you have a significant learning experience at this Conference that will benefit you and the patients you care for.

The mission of STEP is to inform and educate the EMS community and promote opportunities for the improvement of the EMS system.

Conference Registration Information

AA workshop is \$25. Package fee includes admission to all Friday and Saturday breakfasts, lunches and refreshment breaks, Friday and Saturday Conference sessions, the Friday Awards Banquet, exhibits, and the Conference information folder.

Registration Fees

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| Package Registration Fee (By March 1, 2006) | \$120 |
| Package Registration Fee (After March 25, 2006, if available) | \$150 |
| Friday Conference (Not banquet) | \$65 |
| Friday Awards Banquet | \$35 |
| Saturday Conference Only | \$65 |

NOTES:

- No refunds after March 25, 2006
- For further information call: 585-303-7946
- Scientific and Commercial Exhibits welcomed. Write us at the address below.

Hotel Information

Guest room reservation should be made directly with the hotel. Room rates are \$83 per room per night Thursday to Saturday for double occupancy. Please identify your affiliation with the EMS Conference when making reservations. All reservations must be made prior to March 20, 2006 in order to receive the special group rate.

Direct inquiries to:

RIT Inn & Conference Center (formerly Marriott-Thruway)
5257 West Henrietta Road
PO Box 20551
Rochester, New York 14602

585-359-1800 – Phone

585-334-9621 – Fax

Pre-Conference Workshops

| <u>Workshop AA</u> | <u>Workshop BB - LIMITED TO 25 ATTENDEES</u> |
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| <p>The 7C's of Initial Emergency Care Learning A workshop for enhancing First Aid, CPR & AED teaching skills.</p> <p>FEE for materials: \$25</p> <p>Time: 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM</p> <p>Instructor: Frank J. Poliafico, RN Executive Director of the AED Instructor Foundation</p> | <p>Diving Emergencies Common and not-so-common dive-related sickness and injury complications, some of which may not present immediately. Approximately 2-hour classroom discussion followed by 1½ hours at poolside.</p> <p>Time: 6:00 PM – 9:30 PM</p> <p>Instructors: Dan Everett, EMT-P John Peckham, EMT-P</p> |

Conference Schedule

Thursday, April 6, 2006

- 6:00 PM Workshop AA: The 7C's of Initial Emergency Care Learning - \$25 fee
6:00 PM Workshop BB: Diving Emergencies - Limited to 25 attendees

Friday, April 7, 2006

- 7:30 AM Registration, Exhibits all day
7:45 AM Breakfast & Introductions
8:30 AM Featured Speaker: Jody Urquhart
"The Nerve to Serve... Say Hello to Humor & Goodbye to Burnout!"
10:00 AM Break
10:30 AM Morning Workshops - A B C D E
12 Noon Lunch and Exhibits
1:30 PM Featured Speaker: Robert Daughbril, EMT-P
Disaster Preplanning and Lessons learned from Hurricanes
3:00 PM Afternoon Workshops - F G H I J
6:00 PM Registration and Social Hour
7:00 PM EMS Awards Banquet (Exhibits Close)

Saturday, April 8, 2006

- 7:30 AM Registration, Exhibits all day
8:30 AM Morning Workshops - K L M N O
10:00 AM Exhibits
10:30 AM Featured Speaker - Steve Berry Cartoonist & Columnist for JEMS Magazine
12 Noon Lunch and Exhibits
1:00 PM Afternoon Workshops - P Q R S T
2:30 PM Exhibits and Refreshments
3:00 PM Afternoon Workshops - U V W X Y
4:30 PM Hand in Evaluation Form - receive *Certificate of Attendance*
5:00 PM Conference Ends

Registration Form

Use one registration form for each person. Copy this form for multiple registrants.

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| Name (Please print clearly) | Phone |
| Address | Email |
| City | Position (Choose from below or write-in) |
| State | |
| Zip | |
| Organization | Fire RN Mgmt CFR Police MD EMT-P EMT |

Workshops

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| Thursday Pre-conference Workshops | <input type="checkbox"/> AA | <input type="checkbox"/> BB | | | |
| Friday Awards Banquet | <input type="checkbox"/> Attending | | <input type="checkbox"/> Not Attending | | |
| Friday AM Workshop | <input type="checkbox"/> A | <input type="checkbox"/> B | <input type="checkbox"/> C | <input type="checkbox"/> D | <input type="checkbox"/> E |
| Friday PM Workshop | <input type="checkbox"/> F | <input type="checkbox"/> G | <input type="checkbox"/> H | <input type="checkbox"/> I | <input type="checkbox"/> J |
| Saturday AM Workshop | <input type="checkbox"/> K | <input type="checkbox"/> L | <input type="checkbox"/> M | <input type="checkbox"/> N | <input type="checkbox"/> O |
| Saturday PM Workshop | <input type="checkbox"/> P | <input type="checkbox"/> Q | <input type="checkbox"/> R | <input type="checkbox"/> S | <input type="checkbox"/> T |
| Saturday PM Workshop | <input type="checkbox"/> U | <input type="checkbox"/> V | <input type="checkbox"/> W | <input type="checkbox"/> X | <input type="checkbox"/> Y |

Fees

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|---|--------------------------|-------|------|-------|
| Thursday Workshop AA Materials | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$25 | = \$ | _____ |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | | = \$ | _____ |
| Staying overnight Thursday at RIT Inn? | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Friday-Saturday Package | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$120 | = \$ | _____ |
| Package after March 25, 2006, <u>if available</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$150 | = \$ | _____ |
| Friday Only (Not banquet) | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$65 | = \$ | _____ |
| Friday Breakfast Only | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$20 | = \$ | _____ |
| Awards Banquet Only | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$35 | = \$ | _____ |
| Banquet Table of 10 (10 forms needed) | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$325 | = \$ | _____ |
| Saturday Conference Only | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$65 | = \$ | _____ |
| TOTAL | | | = \$ | _____ |

Please make checks payable to STEP Conference 2006. Print this form, enclose fee, and mail by 3/20/06. Attendance is limited and acceptance is determined according to postmark.

STEP EMS Conference April 6- 8, 2006

| Day | Time | BLS | Advanced - ALS, PA, RN, MD | Trauma | Fire/EMS | Management/Training |
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| Fri AM | 7:30-8:30 | Registration and Breakfast | | | | |
| Fri AM | 8:30-10:00 | Featured Speaker: Jody Urquhart - "The Nerve to Serve... Say Hello to Humor & Burnout!" | | | | |
| Fri AM | 10:30-12:00 | A <u>Realities of the Current Drug Culture</u> David A. Monk M.P.A.,CASAC,CAS,CPP | B <u>Difficult Medical and Surgical Cases</u> Sharon Chiumento, EMT-P, BSN | C <u>Brain Trauma</u> Jeff Bazarian, MD | D <u>Welcome to the Family!</u> Life and duty in the extended Fire/EMS Family Panel | E <u>Follow Me I'm Right Behind You!</u> Jody Urquhart |
| Fri PM | 12:00 Noon | Lunch | | | | |
| Fri PM | 12:30-2:15 | PLENARY SESSION: Robert Daughbril, EMT-P - "Preplanning & Lessons Learned – Louisiana Hurricane Season" | | | | |
| Fri PM | 2:45-4:15 | F <u>EMS and Early Defibrillation</u> Frank Poliafico, RN | G <u>Paramedic Student Mentoring Ready for the Challenge</u> Peter Bonadonna, EMT-P, MICP Bob Breese, CCEMTP, FP-C | H <u>Farm Medic</u> Cornell University | I <u>What do you Mean He's Dead?</u> Steve Berry, EMT-P | J <u>EMS Cases & the Law</u> Steven M. Cohen , Esq. Eric Davis, MD |
| Fri PM | 7:00 | AWARDS BANQUET – MC TBD | | | | |
| Sat AM | 7:30 | Registration and Continental Breakfast | | | | |
| Sat AM | 8:30-10:00 | K <u>Geriatrics</u> SueAnn Burley BSN, RCN, EMT Jacqueline Coates, MS, FNP-C,EMT-P | L <u>Air Operation in Critical Care Transport</u> Allan Bulkley, RN, EMT-P Bob Breese, CCEMTP, FP-C | M <u>Anatomy of an Ambulance Roll-over: When the Rescuer Needs Help!</u> Ken Beers, MS, EMT-CC Terry Ekwel, EMT-P | N <u>Using Table-Top Exercises For Effective Training</u> Capt. R. Russotti | O <u>Service with a Smile: Dealing with the Hostile Patient</u> Steve Berry, EMT-P |
| Sat AM | 10:30 | PLENARY SESSION: Steve Berry, EMT-P | | | | |
| Sat PM | 12:00 Noon | Lunch | | | | |
| Sat PM | 1:00-2:30 | P <u>Hybrid Vehicle Safety for EMS</u> Dan Wimer, EMT, MAH&S | Q <u>CPAP for the Advanced Provider</u> Erik Rueckmann, MD Bob Breese, CCEMTP, FP-C | R <u>Lessons from the Livingston County Bus Crash</u> Bill Sheahan, EMT-P Mark Gestring, MD | S <u>It's time to STOP training For Terrorism!</u> BC Alan R. Bubel Capt. R. Russotti | T <u>EMS System Update</u> Ken Beers, SueAnn Burley, Edward Wronski, Jan Lloyd, EMT, Vice Chair MLREMS Terry Fairbanks, MD |
| Sat PM | 3:00-4:30 | U <u>How has Fire & EMS Evolved in Racing</u> Jacqueline Coates, EMT-P Daniel Martelle, AEMT-I Timothy Page, MD | V <u>Pediatric Problem Cases</u> Sharon Chiumento BSN,EMT-P Art Cooper, MD Elise van der Jagt, MD | W <u>Shock Extrication: An Evolving Approach</u> Bill Hallinan, EMT-P,RN,BSN Chris Gray, CC-EMTP Mark Gestring, MD | X <u>Getting Beat-UP with the "Culture Club"</u> Myth-Busting for EMS! Panel | Y <u>INTERVOL Sharing Medical Supplies Around the World</u> Karen Joyce, RN |